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TELEGRAPHIC.

BASEBALL AND LACROSSE.

Winnipeg, Aug. 4.

The Shamrocks defeated the Winnipegs in the senior lacrosse league.

Duluth desires to join the northern baseball league.

CYCLONE

A cyclone visited St. Thomas, Ont., district.

EDITOR McADAMS RELEASED.

Wm. McAdams, editor of the Paystreak, Sandon, B. C., has been released from jail on the order of Chief Justice Hunter and Justice Drake. McAdams gave a written apology for his comments.

HORSE RACES.

The pacer Dan Patchen went a mile in 2.00 3-4 at Columbus, Ohio.

Hyphen won the Brighton Derby valued at $310,000.

KILLED.

R. Paquin, a Montreal merchant, was killed by an electric car accident.

G. F. Burke, of Burks Falls, Ont., was killed while wheeling.

LITTLE GIRL MISSING.

The 13 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geysleman, Winnipeg, has mysteriously disappeared.

LE ROI MINE.

Work has been resumed at the Le Roi mine after the fatal cave-in.

SUICIDE.

J. Bire, jr., of Yorkton, Assa., committed suicide.

WINNIPEG OARSMEN

The Winnipeg oarsmen won two of the three events in which they were entered at Brockville regatta on Saturday.

GENERAL.

Editor Folsolof, St. Paul, has been very favorably impressed with a trip through western Canada.

The inland revenue receipts in Winnipeg for July were $61,000, an increase of $15,000.

The King of Italy has started on a visit to urge the disarmament upon the world's rulers.

By an electrical apparatus Dr. M. R. Hutchinson has enabled the deaf to hear.

An unknown friend has donated $4,-510 to the Winnipeg general hospital.

Ex-President Steyn, has reached Southhampton, on his way to Holland.

Clara Ludman, of Winnipeg, was fatally burned while lighting a fire.

Women have been drinking too heavily at St. Paul's leading clubs.

Forty-five returning South Africa soldiers reached Winnipeg Sunday.

Crops in Springfield municipality promise a banner yield.

The grave diggers of Chicago, are on strike.

STRATHCONA FAIR.

Strathcona summer fair takes place on Friday and Saturday next. Saturday is coronation day and a public holiday. With the improvement that has taken place in the roads and the fact that the busy season has not yet commenced there should be a large attendance. The buildings are being decorated and two large arches are being built across the Main street. Every effort is being made to make coronation day one to be remembered in Strathcona.

—D. R. Fraser has purchased the old Cartage Company property on First st. east of Namao Ave., and adjoining his present lumber office and shed, the old skating and curling rink. Al Brown has purchased the buildings and will move them off. Mr. Fraser will use the ground as a lumber yard. He has also purchased the property in rear of the Cartage company property so that his yard will extend from First to Second street, with offices and sheds fronting on Namao.

—Within the last two days a number of traders and trappers have arrived from the north. Amongst them are noticed; A. Bourassa, Vermilion, Peace river; Daniel McDonald, Chipewyan; Jose Beaulieu, Fort Smith; Wm. McLeod, Fort Nelson.

—J. A. Jacobs, of Montreal, will have charge of the musk ox being presented to the Emperor of Austria by the Hudson's Bay Company. Mr. Jacobs was married in Montreal on June 20th, and is now touring Europe with his bride.

—Calgary Herald; A 25 horse power traction engine is being used in the Claresholme district for furnishing motor power for plows used in breaking up the prairie. It is said to be capable of plowing 20 acres a day.

—In the report of implement sales appearing in last issue of the Bulletin mention of the agency of the Champion Co., manufacturing binders and other farm machinery in Chicago, was inadvertantly omitted.

LOCAL.

—Homestead entries for July, 252; agaist 183 for July last year.

—J.C. Howey, of the Post staff, leaves to-morrow for British Columbia.

—Hay on the market to-day brought from $5 to $6 per load and $8 per ton.

—Inspector and Mrs. Crosthwaite, of Fort Saskatchewan, were in town on Saturday.

—Special coronation service will be held in All Saints church on Saturday, August 9th, at 10;30 a. m.

—R. D. Walt is erecting a residence on 6th street, south of McKay avenue, 30x30, with addition, two stories.

—Geo. R. Westland, editor of the Innisfail Free Lance, visited Edmonton and Strathcona on Saturday on business.

—Twenty inches of rain fell at St. Johns, Manitoba, during July. Highest temperature for the month 90, Lowest 52.

—Word has been received to-day that the new bridge being erected over the Beaver Creek at Star, will be completed to-morrow.

—The monthly meeting of the General Hospital Aid will take place on Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, at the General Hospital.

—John McCartney arrived from Red Deer on Friday to take charge of the improvements to the St. Albert trail. Work with the grader begins to-day.

—A. P. Clarke, of the Hudson's Bay Company's service, who has been stationed at Fort Vermilion, Peace river, arrived on Sunday en route to Winnipeg.

—Wm. Trimble and J. W. Hicks, of Essex, Ont., were amongst last week's visitors to Edmonton. Mr. Trimble is a brother of Jas. Trimble, of East Edmonton.

—E. Brosseau has lost several head of horses, from the bunch he took down to his new ranch. Six horses and sixteen colts have already succumbed to hoof rot.

—Edmonton lacrosse team expect to visit Leduc on Saturday and play a friendly game. Practice will be held every night this week on the old H. B. grounds.

—Mrs. Wilcox, of Buffalo lake, who underwent an operation for appendicitis at the public hospital on Friday, is to-day reported to be in a very favorable condition.

—Dr. J. K. Barrett, inspector of inland revenue, Winnipeg, was in town last week on an official visit, accompanied by C. Saucier, inland revenue officer at Calgary.

—Applications at the Dominion land office for coal lands are very active at the present time. Last month more entries were applied for than during the past two or three years.

—The season's collection of furs made by the following traders, have already reached town; Fred Brick, Vermilion, Peace river; P. Loutit, Chipewyan; Ben. Hursell, Fort Smith; Colin Fraser, Chipewyan.

—Fort Saskatchewan fair, Wednesday and Thursday, August the 13th and 14th. A good programme of horse races has been arranged and a grand baseball tournament for a silver cup open to all Alberta clubs.

—R. B. Walt, who was appointed assistant town clerk at the last meeting of the council, held the position of township clerk of Cramaba, Northumberland County, Ont., for a number of years. He was also secretary of the Casselton school board, agricultural society and cheese board.

HOTEL ARRIVALS

Friday.

Alberta—E. L. Cross, St. Telesphore; A. Mowat, Ray Macgachern, Winnipeg; R. T. Telford, Leduc; J. M. Paul, Medicine Hat; M. N. Jordon, Calgary; T. Wilson, Montreal; A. T. Heath, Leeds, N. D.

Queen's—H. H. Devitt, Grand Forks, N. D.; H. S. Bowden, Calgary; J. M. Lamb, Michigan City; T. T. Read, Grafton, Neb., J. A. Fife, P. E. Island; J. E. Springer, Onerlin, Ohio, U. S. A.; E. A. Bull, Camp Douglas; H. G. Clarke, H. Clarke, B. Clarke, M. J. Skinner, Chicago. T. J. McNeill, Clinton, Ont.; V. French, H. Hertz, Ponoka; W. Ogilvie, North George Town; D. E. Hand, Spokane; G. A. Ball, J. M. Moran, C. F. Stawart, A. Beckett, Fort Saskatchewan; J. D. McGillivray, Ponoka; J. Schmidt, Wetaskiwin; J. Mohr, Geo. Baker, P. Mohr, Beaver Hills; C. A. Lowe, Clover Bar; M. Sheppard, Leduc.

Victoria—J. F. McRae, Wm. McGillis, Ray; H. S. Bowden, Calgary.

Grandview—J. D. McGillivray, Ponoka; O. A. Lyman, Wetaskiwin; J. Gibbon, Oregon; C. A. CVadu, Pine Creek; G. Imeson, Stony Plain.

Jasper—Miss Miller, Stony Plain; J. Gibbon, Oregon.

Saturday.

Alberta—W. S. Crowe, J. T. Foster, D. L. McLaughlin, Toronto; C. T. Archibald, Nelson; G. A. Turner, J. D. Dagg, J. D. Windrum, B. W. Tanton, St. Eleanor; Geo. D. Tanton, Miss A. Tanton, Wetaskiwin; R. J. Wark, W. F. McBeath, Hamilton; J. R. Cornwall, Slave lake; Mr. and Mrs.. Crosthwaite, Fort Saskatchewan.

Queen's—P. Maisonneuve, North Egg lake; E. S. Tisdale, Winnipeg; H. W. Sussex and wife, Longwood, Ont.; E. A. Bold, Camp Douglas, Wis.

Victoria—Ben. Hursell, Fort Smith.

Grandview—S. C. Hagen, Stony Plain; F. Ferguson, Lesser Slave lake.

Jasper—A. Von Hammerstein, Chipewyan; N. S. L. Carter, Lesser Slave lake; A. Pearce, town.

Sunday—

Queen's—S. F. Snisya, Morris, Mich.; P. W. Scott, Mass, Mich.; T. Barrow, A. T. Thelander, Quesselle, B. C.; A. P. Clarke, A. Bourassa, Vermilion; Peace river; C. W. Brett; C. C. Cassey, Beaver lake; G. Kimball, Fort Saskatchewan;

Grandview—D. McDonald, W. Donald, Chipewyan; J. Parminter, Lockwood, Mo.; J. O. Parminter, Clover Bar.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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Thursday, August 21, 1902

At the residence of Robert Sanders, Section 4, Township 51, Range 24, 1 1-2 miles north of Beaumont, 13 miles south of Strathcona. The subscriber has been instructed by Mr. Robt. Sanders to sell by Public Auction, without reserve all his valuable stock and effects as follows;

1 thoroughbred Shorthorn bull, with pedigree, 13 milch cows, 1 4-year-old steer, 1 3-year-old steer, 1 2-year-old steer, 5 young steers, 6 spring calves. 1 bay team, heavy draft mares with spring colts at side, 1 matched team blacks, (mare and horse) 4 years old, 1 two year old mare, 4 ewes, 4 spring lambs, 1 ram, 2 sows, 1 McCormick binder, 1 McCormick mower, 1 Massey well mower, 1 seed drill, 1 self disc harrows, 1 set drag harrows, 2 plows, 1 lumber wagon, 1 democrat wagon, 2 hay racks, 1 work bench with vice attached, 2 setts double harness, 1 saddle and bridle, 1 sett platform scales, 1 wheel barrow, crowbar, axes, garden tools, 1 sett bob sleighs, chains, forks, hoes and several valuable articles not mentioned above.

House Furniture and Furnishings; 1 oak dining table, 6 oak dining chairs, 1 sofa, 1 window seat, 2 oak rocking chairs, 2 small tables, 1 air-tight heating stove, 1 box stove, 1 cook stove, Large number of pots and frying pans etc., 2 iron bedsteads with springs and hair mattresses and bedding complete. 2 wire stretchers with mattresses and bedding, 2 basin stands, with basin, jugs, etc., bedroom suite (wardrobe, dressing table with large mirror, washstand, basin, jugs, etc., complete). Barrel churn, milk tins, cans, glass and china, clothes press, small tables, book cases, kitchen dresser.

Positively no reserve as Mr. Sanders is forced to discontinue his farming operations on account of ill health.

Terms;—$15.00 and under cash, over that amount 4 months credit will be given by furnishing approved joint lien notes bearing interest at 8 per cent. A liberal discount will be allowed for all cash amounts over $15.00.

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EDMONTON BULLETIN, AUGUST 4th, 1902

THE EDMONTON CREAMERY.

In a country so peculiarly adapted to mixed farming as Alberta, there is probably no industry so deserving of special notice as that of converting the milk from the cow into a marketable product by the most improved and economical process.

The Edmonton creamery now operated by the department of agriculture is situated on the south bank of the Saskatchewan a few yards above the bridge. The main building 50x26 feet, contains the plant consisting of two Curtis cream vats, for cooling the cream, each with a capacity of 500 gallons; one Curtis churn, capacity of 400 gallons cream; one Mason revolving butter worker; testing and packing appliances. The power is supplied from an adjoining building of brick 18x18 feet, in which is installed a 10 horse power engine and boiler. The two refrigerator rooms for storing the butter have an area of 26x20 feet.

A "Bulletin" representative happened to look in as the butter was being prepared for the churn.

The two hundred gallons of cream already in the churn was converted into butter in 15 minutes. It was learned from the butter maker that when the churn was full, though about 30 minutes would be required for churning, the butter granulations were finer, therefore the butter was of better quality.

Immediately after churning, the buttermilk is run off, through a tin trough, to a tank outside and is sold for hog feed at 1c per gallon. The water hose is turned on and the churn again set in motion for the purpose of washing. This done the water is run off and the salt, at the rate of 1 ounce to 1 lb. of butter, is sprinkled over the butter, which receives the first working in the churn, where it remains for about two hours after the churn is stopped. The butter is then placed on the Mason revolving butter table and is worked with two corrugated rollers, as long as the butter maker considers necessary. The butter is then packed in boxes, coated with paraffin wax and lined with parchment paper, and stored in the refrigerator to await shipment.

The butter now being manufactured is shipped for the British market and is carried from Strathcona to the Atlantic in refrigerator cars and on shipboard, in cold storage, to England.

This season the creamery opened up for business on the 25th May. The cream is gathered from two routes—one through the Clover Bar settlement, the other through the Sturgeon and Poplar lake districts. The creamery at present could supply the requirements of the country for a distance of 20 miles in any direction. There is a branch establishment at Beaver Hills, on the farm of Gus Doze, and managed by W. J. Ireland, who was sent here from Ontario, by the department.

At the present time there are but 37 patrons furnishing cream to the Edmonton station from an estimated total of not over 150 cows. Most of the farmers use hand power separators at their own homes. This means of handling the milk is becoming more general every day, owing to the well known fact that from 30 to 50 per cent more butter fat is taken from the milk than by the old deep-setting or pan method. Any loss in calf feeding which might arise from the poverty of the "skim milk," is counterbalanced by the "skim milk" being ready, while sweet and still warm, for the calf and butter fat can be replaced by oatmeal or flax.

Every consignment of cream, from each patron, is measured when received, in a 12 in. can, by a decimal rule. A sample is then taken to be tested in the "Curtis oil test,"—to do this a 12 inch. glass tube 1-2 in. diameter is filled and corked, this is placed in a frame which holds 15 tubes, the frame is set in the testing churn made to accommodate 7 frames, the churn is then driven horizontally until the butter fat is driven to the top of the tube. The fat is measured by a decimal scale; from the result is calculated the quantity of butter the patrons' cream will produce. One inch of butter fat in the test tube represents 1 lb. of butter in the measuring can; from this the total butter for the day, to be credited the patron is arrived at.

The weekly output of butter is about 1400 lbs., which, cannot be considered satisfactory in view of the number of cows in the district.

When the creamery was first started in this locality the result was not encouraging to the farmers. The first year the government took hold, those supplying the cream were not satisfied with the butter maker. The state of the roads the last two seasons has not been conducive to advancement, as from many points trails were almost impassable with light wagons.

For the last three years the farmers have received not less than 16 cents per lb. less a charge of 1 1-2c on each pound of butter made to pay for hauling the cream, leaving 14 1-2c net.

In spite of this fact many farmers prefer to put up with the work and make their own butter and sell to the stores or elsewhere. The probable reason is that by this course they get a quick return and can procure for their butter the commodities of which they are in immediate need. The returns from the creamery on the other hand are not procurable for about six weeks after the delivery of the cream. It would not be difficult to overcome this inconvenience by a suitable arrangement for bi-weekly payments drawn against the stock on hand. That means should be adopted to encourage the patronage of this industry is certain. Those farmers who are acquainted with the merits of the creamery probably represent a very small proportion of those in the district. In a community made up of people from every corner of the globe, whose habits, customs, language and experience differ so largely, it is too much to expect that they should arrive, by intuition, at an even standard. It is only reasonable that a government which has taken steps to bring these people together should also take the initiative to educate them to one common standard advantageous to the advancement and prosperity of the district wherein they happen to be located.

The winter months might be profitably spent by someone, conversant with the proposition, travelling through the district and advocating the industry and giving general information; this might be done by arranging to meet the farmers at the school houses.

Appended is a statement supplied by Mr. C. Nairn, manager of the creamery showing the value of butter manufactured and output from Alberta government creameries from May 1st, 1897, to Nov. 1st, 1900. Edmonton does not show to advantage;

Calgary,		$18,800
Innisfail,		67,300
Red Deer,		50,700
Wetaskiwin,		24,100
Edmonton,		15,100
	Output	To patrons.
1897,	27,364	13.68c p. lb.
1898,	17,068	14.80c p. lb.
1899,	17,322	16.90c p. lb.
1900,	17,083	16.00c p. lb.

Note.—For 1900 a balance was to be paid after the butter had been disposed of.

This is a great year for trouble for the C. N. R. The Edmonton spur track is not the only thing on the minds of Messrs. M. & M. The washouts on the Port Arthur section, the strike on the Manitoba division, and the bad weather and wet country on the Prince Albert section make a hard combination. And sometimes the company make trouble for themselves. The Free Press of recent issue reports an instance of the latter class. The C. N. R. advertised an excursion to St. Anne or Point de Chene, some 30 miles east of Winnipeg, and sold some 700 excursion tickets, but only provided coaches for 400 passengers. The company undertook to supply box cars for the remainder of the crowd, but as the Archbishop of St. Boniface and a number of the clergy were amongst the 300 who were waiting the box cars were declined. The company then offered cabooses and they were also declined. Finally a pullman was sent and the excursion which should have left at 8;15 got away at 10 o'clock. It is no harm to point out to Messrs. Mackenzie & Mann that the attitude which the C. P. R. assumed towards the public some fifteen years ago when the country and the railroad were both new and the company had the whole government of Canada at its back, has been abandoned for some time past as being out of date. The present time or occasion is not opportune for the C. N. R. to repeat the discredited old time tactics of the C. P. R epitomized by the late lamanted Wm. H. Vanderbilt in the historic phrase, "The public be d—d."

Yukon Administration.

Ottawa, July 30.—James A Smart, deputy minister of the interior will leave in a few days for Dawson for the purpose of disposing of matters affecting the administration of the Territories which have accumulated during the illness of Governor Ross.

Hon. Mr. Sifton has already given directions that Governor Ross is to be brought out of the territory as soon as he is able to travel in order that he may receive the best medical attendance. He will be accompanied by one of the physicians at present attending him and everything will be made as comfortable for him as possible.

Major Wood, of the Mounted Police, who is stationed at Dawson, will act as administrator during the governor's illness and he was instructed by telegraph yesterday to assume the duties at once. Latest information here is that there is marked improvement in his condition.

Free Press, July 30; Harvesting operations commenced in the Beausejour district yesterday, when two binders were started cutting barley on one farm. A small sheaf of the grain was left at the Free Press office last evening by Mr. L. L. House, of the Deering Company, and it is a magnificent sample. The grain is beautifully bright and plump.

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PROGRAM OF SPORTS.

Athletic events to be held first day;

100 yards dash,	$2.00	$1.00
220 yards dash,	3.00	2.00
440 yards dash,	3.00	2.00
Standing broad jump, no weights,	2.00	1.00
Running broad jump, no weights,	2.00	1.00
Running hop step and jump,	2.00	1.00
Running high jump,	2.00	1.00

Football match—medals.
Baseball match—medals.

SECOND DAY.
CORONATION DAY.
HORSE RACES.

1. Free-for-all, trot or pace, 3 in 5, Purse $75
2. 2.40 trot or pace, 3 in 5, Purse $75.00
3. Farmers' trot or pace, for horses that have never started in a race, 1-2 mile, 2 in 3, Purse 35.00

Prizes in each race 60, 30 and 10 per cent of purse.

4. 1-2 mile run, open, 2 in 3, Purse 25.00
5. 1-4 mile run, open, 2 in 3, Purse 25.00

Prizes 60 and 40 per cent of purse.
Four to enter and three to start in each event.
Entrance fee 10 per cent of purse.

PROCESSION TO GROUNDS.
10 a. m.
Prize for best Merchants' or Mechanics' Float.
Prize for best National Float.
Floats representing All Nations.
The South African Volunteers in uniform will participate in the parade; also the pupils of the public schools.
Edmonton Band in attendance.
"God Save the King."

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THE GOLD DREDGE OTTER.

During the past week the "Bulletin" was afforded an opportunity of visiting the gold dredge Otter, now operating on the south shore of the Saskatchewan near the Big Island, some sixteen miles above Walter's ferry.

The trip up the river, by steam tender against the swift current, was retarded by a scow, pushed ahead, and which was taken up to be loaded with coal.

The dredge, now working, is secured in position by a series of steel wire ropes, stretched from every side, one of which extends to the opposite shore.

An examination of the dredge showed that it is a veritable mass of machinery leaving but little room for the meanderings of the idle visitor impelled thither through curiosity or thirsting for knowledge. Every possible space, not required by machinery, is taken up by a sluice box, (a runway for carrying off surplus water,) or a tub or box of some kind.

The power is supplied by five separate engines, each main working part being driven by its own engine. This arrangement prevents a complete shutting down in case of a break in any particular department. A wise provision where one of the greatest obstacles to contend with is a fight between power and resistance; the latter, until recently, having had somewhat the best of the encounter.

The dredge, (32 steel buckets working on an endless chain) was taking up "pay dirt" or stones, gravel and auriferous sand from the bottom of a gravel bed at a depth of about fourteen feet and under five feet of water, at the rate of six buckets per minute. When at the top of the roller standards the dirt is dumped into a hopper from which the whole is fed into a steel perforated cylinder, somewhat tapered, and set at an incline. Through the entire length of the cylinder passes a large water pipe along which are holes throwing out constant streams of water. The revolving of this cylindrical screen carries off all the stones. The gold bearing sand falls through the screen on the "tables." These tables are set head to head and slope downwards and at right angles to the centre line of the cylinder, with an incline of about 20 degrees.

There are twelve tables in two tiers on either side having a total breadth of surface of 72 feet. The tables are covered with "blankets" for "catching" the gold. Those at the head or upper end of the tables are of felt, the others are of cocoanut matting. A constant stream of water is flowing freely over the blankets, washing away all sand and slime leaving the gold sticking to the blankets, (The gold was clearly seen, well "peppered" all over the blankets). The sand is carried away with the surplus water, through a sluice box, to the river. Any waste or leak of gravel from the hopper passes over a grizzley and over a blanket which catches any gold which might otherwise be lost.

The blankets are taken off the tables and washed in tubs for the purpose. The gold by its own gravity falls to the bottom. From this tub, the washings are thrown into the amalgamator where every particle of gold is caught by the mercury. The balance of the process is the straining and retorting in common use.

The operations, now under the direction of Mr. Hobson, have demonstrated beyond any doubt that the gold, known to exist in the gravel beds of the Saskatchewan can be saved at a profit; that it is no lottery, and that the supply cannot be exhausted for years. There is no Klondike about it, but it is a straight mercantile proposition.

Mr. Hobson came here four years ago from New Zealand, where he had successfully conducted gold dredging. The first two years were spent in prospecting and making a thorough examination of the river. Last year he took over the dredge which he found to be very faulty in design and so weak in construction as to be unable to withstand the constant necessary strain and occasional resistance offered by immense boulders. This can be better understood thus,—the capacity of the Otter, as designed, is supposed to be 2800 cubic yards per day of 24 hours. It is not considered safe to run over 200 yards! Though with this amount of dirt, $300 has been cleared up as the result of a day's run. The "bucket jaws," now nearly worn out, will in a few days be replaced by others. The capacity will then be doubled at any rate.

Mr. Hobson is confident from what he has seen, that with a dredge such as should be in use $5,000 would be a conservative estimate of output per month.

The expenses of operating are small as the whole gang including the cook consists of but four men.

When necessary to move the dredge up the river, the steam tender carries forward a kedge or anchor to which is made fast a steel rope, the other end is taken up on a steam winch until the dredge has hauled in all the slack. The kedge is again carried forward and the operation repeated.

A Dakota Cyclone.

Grand Forks, N. D., July 29.—Late reports show that the storm of yesterday was probably the most widespread and destructive of anything that has ever visited the State. An immense storm wave seems to have traversed the north eastern part of the state, developing centers here and there which visited various localities with rain, lightning, hail or wind or with all in a bunch.

Damage was done in several counties and the losses being so numerous and spread over such a wide territory that an estimate of it at this time is impossible.

SADDLE LAKE.

Scarcely had the celebration of the first died away when treaty payments began. We had more traders this year than in the past. Messrs. Borwick & Carey, Wilkins & Co., Bremner, Daniel Hawke, and others, went away with a goodly roll of one dollar bills.

The agent went to Whitefish lake to pay treaty.

W. J. Hobbs, of Victoria, is a guest at the Methodist mission. He preached at the English service on July 6th and 13th.

On Wednesday, 16th, a supper was given in honor of John Borwick, at the Methodist mission, by several of the white families of Saddle lake. Mr. Borwick's home at Andrew has always been an open house to the people of this place in their journeys to and from Edmonton. The very best has been theirs and it seemed fitting that appreciation of the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Borwick should be shown in this way by those who have so frequently been his guests. After tea Mr. Leonard expressed the thanks of the Saddle lakers, and wishing Mr. and Mrs. Borwick success in their far north venture, said that the people of Saddle lake, white and Indian, will have lost from the community, for the present at least, sterling friends and helpers.

Messrs. Geo. Tate and Peter Borwick, from Edmonton, are taking an outing with the traders.

Mr. Morris, of the Fort, is in charge of Wilkin & Co's outfit.

Miss Lottie Mann returned home after an extended stay in Edmonton.

Geo. Durrand, of the Fort, is a guest at the agency.

Geo. Mann has sold his ranch to Mr. V. Smith, of Goodfish lake. Geo. has gone to Moose as operator.

Mr. and Mrs. Carrol and Kathleen, late of Moose, have become residents of our community. We congratulate Mr. Carrol on his promotion to Saddle lake.

Wm. Leonard began haying on July 24th.

Mr. Batty has invested in a pleasure yacht and will have everything in shape for the fall regatta.

Somebody said that someone else said that there were a few flies and mosquitoes. Yes.

Master Victor Mann, is holidaying at home. Master Larry Manuels is his guest during the holidays.

Football match, Victoria vs. Saddle lake. Score 2-0 in favor of Victoria.

The Borwick orchestra played in the Sunday morning service in the Methodist school house.

ANTHRACITE COAL MINES.

The McNeill Co., operating the anthracite mines at Anthracite, Alberta, have locked horns in law with the owners of an adjoining anthracite property. The Calgary Albertan reports the case. The owners of the property which occasioned the dispute are Sir Sanford Fleming, Sanford Fleming, jr., and Major Merritt. The McNeill Co., entered into negotiations with the Flemings for the operation of their property, offering a royalty of ten cents a ton. This was refused. They then offered fifteen cents a ton, which was verbally accepted. They then went to work and after having worked ten days were ordered by telegraph to quit. They refused to do so. An injunction to prevent them was asked but refused, and now suit is entered.

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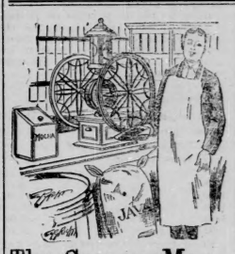
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STRATHCONA.

Plaindealer, Aug. 1.

Preparations for Strathcona's fair and coronation celebration are progressing favorably. Arrangements are made for the erection of two fine arches across Whyte Ave., one to be opposite the Strathcona House and the other at the crossing of Main St. The Edmonton fire brigade band has been engaged for the occasion.

A pic-nic of the Ellerslie and Rabbit Hill settlements was held on Wednesday at the White Mud bridge. Owing to some misunderstanding the attendance was not so great as was anticipated, however, a most enjoyable time was spent by those who did attend.

Principal D. S. MacKenzie, of Strathcona, has been appointed president of the Territorial Teachers' Association.

A meeting of the Edmonton Presbytery was held in the Presbyterian church, Strathcona, on Monday evening last. Dr. Herdman, the recently appointed superintendant of missions, was present.

Wm. Deitz is building a German Lutheran church three miles east of Ellerslie. It is built on the same plan as the Lutheran church in Strathcona but is a little larger.

The B. Y. P. U. of the Baptist church here held a very enjoyable pic-nic at Sandy lake on Saturday last. Boating and bathing were the chief pastimes of the day.

J. L. Bryant, a brother of Mr. Bryant of the Strathcona school staff, has been appointed to the principalship of the Regina public school.

A number of the matrons of the Strathcona Baptist church formed a pic-nic party on the farm of Mr. John Kennedy at Poplar lake on Friday last.

Rev. C. Hoyler, of the Moravian church on the reserve, is away to the Eastern States attending the annual conference of the Moravian church. He expects to be away about six weeks and to bring a bride back to Alberta with him.

J. Gainer & Co., are having their property cleared ready for excavation for the new block to be erected. Until the building is completed business will be carried on in the old shop placed on the Bisset property just opposite the old stand.

On Wednesday evening a reception was tendered Rev. C. W. Finch and family by the Methodist congregation in Strathcona on the church lawn.

HOW TO KILL GOPHERS

A circular recently issued by the department of agriculture, Ottawa, tells how to kill woodchucks with carbon bisulphide. There are no woodchucks in the Northwest; or if any not enough to become a pest. In some years, however, and in some districts the gopher is a far greater pest in the west than the woodchuck is in the east. As the habits of the animals are similar it is more than likely that the same methods of destruction which are successful with woodchucks would be equally successful with gophers. Gophers are not troubling any where this year, and they never trouble in the Edmonton district proper, but in some of the outlying settlements it might be well to clip the information for future reference. The circular says;

A series of experiments covering several seasons' use of carbon bisulphide as a woodchuck exterminator has lately been reported by the New Hampshire experimental station, the results of which are herewith summarized.

So successful have these experiments been that the plan is strongly recommended for more general adoption. One special advantage of carbon bisulphide is that its vapor is more than twice as heavy as air, so that in a woodchuck burrow it will follow along the hole until it reaches the bottom, crowding the air above it to the top. As the animal is likely to be in the lower part of the burrow, it is almost certain to inhale the poisonous vapor and be killed.

The equipment necessary for this sort of woodchuck hunt consists of a bottle of carbon bisulphide, a bundle of old cotton or cloth, a pail and a spade. The pail is first filled with dirt and set near the hole ready to turn in; then a piece of cloth is held between thumb and finger, saturated with about an ounce of the liquid, and immediately thrown as far into the burrow as possible. The pail of dirt is quickly thrown into the hole and the entrance carefully closed. If there is more than one entrance, all but one should be filled in before the treatment. This method not only kills the old woodchuck, but destroys in a humane manner the young in the burrow. It has top, the additional advantage that the animal is not only killed but is buried, and the hole is filled, so that considerable time is thus saved. A large number of experiments have been made, and in only a very few cases were the holes reopened, and in each instance there was conclusive evidence that they had been opened from the outside by woodchucks burrowing into them.

Precautions to be observed: It should be distinctly understood by every one who uses carbon bisulphide for any purpose that it is highly volatile, inflammable, and poisonous, and it is also highly explosive. With any reasonable care in its use, however, out of doors, no ill results can follow. Used as described above there is no necessity for one to inhale the vapor, and a small quantity in a glass stoppered bottle may be safely stored away in a cool place. Of course it must be kept out of the reach of children, and away from fire of any kind. The person applying it to woodchuck holes should not be smoking while handling the liquid. For most people it is probably better to buy of the local druggist than to store a large amount. It is not expensive in any case, and the ordinary commercial grade will do as well for this purpose as that which is chemically pure.

FIRE IN STRATHCONA.

About three o'clock on Sunday morning last fire was discovered in the stable behind Councillor McIntyre's residence on Lumsden Avenue. The brigade and citizens generally turned out with commendable promptness. Mrs. Dr. Hotson was the first to discover the flames and she hastened to arouse Mr. McIntyre who arrived on the scene just in time to save his cow from destruction. It was evident from the first that Mr. McIntyre's stable could not be saved as the fire was well under way. So the efforts of the citizens and brigade were centered upon the work of saving Mr. W. McCully's stable just sixteen feet to the northwest of the burning building. The bucket brigade did great work and also the chemical before the gasoline engine was got into action and all three departments come in for credit for confining the destroying element to the one stable. The cause of the fire is supposed to have been hot ashes in an adjoining backyard.

A Leading Horseman.

Calgary Herald; Robert Beith, M. P., of Bowmanville, arrived in the city this morning and will spend a few days in the Calgary district, looking up some good things in the shape of horse flesh. Mr. Beith will be remembered as the gentleman who bought the famous stallion Robin Adair from Messrs Rawlinson brothers and won with him the first prize in the Hackney class at New York horse show. He sold the famous Northwest horse a few weeks ago to a gentleman named Harrison. Mr. Beith is greatly taken with the fine young son of Robin Adair owned by J. R. Thompson, of Calgary, and his good opinion is worth something as he is said to be the best judge of horses in Canada. Mr. Beith supplied the last Canadian contingent with horses and he purchased them through his agent, J. D. McGregor, for the most part in Alberta.

Immigration from the States

The immigration from the United States into Canada, very largely into the Northwest, for the past six years is as follows;

1897,	712
1898,	9,119
1899,	11,900
1900,	15,550
1901,	17,987
1902, (last year),	24,100

From England for fiscal year 1902 it was 17,000 odd, about 6,000 over previous year. This makes a total of 41,100 up to 1st July last. Taking about five to a family this means about 8,300 and supposing each family took 160 acres then 1,325,000 acres more will be in process of cultivation.

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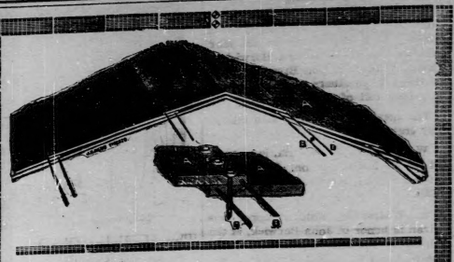
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THE CANADIAN NORTHWEST.

The following comprehensive and appreciative review of the Canadian Northwest from a United States standpoint appears as special Washington correspondence in a leading Minneapolis paper;

Washington, July 25.—"Within ten years Canada will be producing annually 250,000,000 bushels of wheat!" This is the prediction of Theodore M. Kappera of Minneapolis, made in an address before the State Bankers' association, and other observers who have been largely quoted in these columns share his views. If this estimate proves correct it will constitute one of the most far-reaching economic movements of the time, and one destined to have notable political effects on both sides of the line. The prosperity of the United States always depends in a large part upon the foreign market for our great cereal products, of which wheat is king. Its price is regulated in the markets of Liverpool, and as that figure goes up prosperity smiles on the great northwest, and when it goes down complaint deepens in the hearts of the people. The low prices of a decade ago, which gave birth to the farmers' alliance and populistic movements, culminating in their capture of the democratic party in 1896, were in no small degreee due to the sudden prominence attained by Russia and the Argentine Republic in the food markets of the world. There had come to be an over supply of cereals which reacted unfavorably upon the United States.

Since that time the consuming power of the world has been steadily increasing, and new markets, especially in Asia, have been opened for cereals. New races have learned to eat wheat, the most aristocratic of grains, and one which only the richer peoples have been accustomed to afford. Prosperity in a high degree at home, and it should always be remembered that the American home market is the most important of all, has supported this upward movement of prices occasioned by increased demand the world over until our western farmers are now in a state of unprecedented prosperity, so they, without being alarmists, may properly ask where this new Canadian wheat is going to and what will be its effects upon the world's market, in case present predictions are fulfilled. The United States to-day exporting about 80,000,000 bushels in the kernal and as much more in the form of flour. Mr. Kappern's 250,000,000 of Western Canadian production within a decade would thus be nearly double the present export of the United States.

The suggestion that the existence of such a food supply on British territory, with the cattle raising possibilities of Australasia, would make the British imperial federation scheme, which has long been discussed, much more feasible than before, is natural. It could seemingly be accomplished without a perceptible increase in the price of food stuffs to the English working classes, which has hitherto been the chief objection to differential tariff in favor of the colonies, as to the return to any general protective policy. But to the American wheat raiser of the northwest, the coming to pass of the imperial zollverein scheme is not necessary in order to make the new opening of Western Canada a serious development. On a basis of only equal opportunity in Liverpool, as to-day, the Canadians would still get as much for their wheat as our own farmers, and their cost of transporting it there would be hardly perceptibly greater. It would be shipped in bond to Duluth, and then take the routes of the American wheat, or it might be exported through Port Arthur on the northern shore of Lake Superior. The Canadian Pacific railroad with its feeders which are rapidly extending, has a double interest in making the most reasonable rates possible for this wheat movement. Its increase will bring in population and stimulate general business.

The world has very much misunderstood and so failed to appreciate Western Canada, and an awakening from this mistake, like so many others in the world, seems to be coming very suddenly. The isotherm of 60, which in July lies just north of Quebec at its eastern end, touches the mouth of the Mackenzie above the Arctic Circle at the western extremity of the continent. Climatic conditions thus give Western Canada a distinct advantage over the eastern part with which the world is more familiar. Moreover, the bad lands of our own west, which begin in North Dakota just west of the Missouri river, do not seem to extend far up into Canada; the region thereon corresponding meridians in a lake country, and well watered. It has all kinds of natural advantages, forests, ores and minerals, and a generally fertile soil. Its development promises to be one of the great movements of the next decade.

It is estimated, such is the present boom in Canadian land, that 20,000 acres are selling daily in St. Paul and Minneapolis. This is an outgrowth to be sure, of the extraordinary boom in American farm lands, occasioned by the high prices of their product and the resulting funds available for investment in the pockets of the farmers. Twelve years ago the speculative boom of the west was mostly in town lots. Dazzled by the fortunes which had been made in Chicago, through its growth within the lifetime of men then living from a frontier post to one of the greatest cities of the modern world, the inhabitants of other western towns pictured a similar advance for themselves. Duluth was going to be a Chicago, so was Kansas City, and Omaha, and Sioux City, and Fargo, and a dozen other towns that might be mentioned. Land speculators did everything to develop this craze; they established street car lines purely for advertising purposes, which they soon had to abandon; they erected pretentious municipal buildings; packed the census, and took every other means known to hypnotize the investor, whether a native or a tenderfoot. It was a town lot boom throughout the west ten years ago and a town lot panic which broke with such fury in the summer of 1893.

The investing public learned something from such an experience, and so it is not to be wondered at that the present boom, almost as marked as that of ten years ago, is in farm lands instead. These have a more substantial basis, to be sure, than the town lots and yet the price at which the grain fields can be profitably held and cultivated must depend much on the world market for our cereals. Our own agricultural lands are pretty well taken up. Although Uncle Sam still owns millions of acres, amounting to 60 per cent. of the area of seventeen states, it is with slight exceptions, land on which no one could support himself in agriculture except by smiting the rock of national irrigation. Accordingly, as the land boom waxes strong, with that advance of prices which has created an anti-beef trust agitation among the consumers of the east, the western movements are reaching out for more land. The natural increase of population, of course, emphasizes the call, and Canada has just been discovered. Americans have found out that they can raise wheat there for the British market just as profitably as they can here, and so they are pouring across the line.

LAMENTABLE SUICIDE.

Arrivals from Beaver lake settlement on Friday afternoon report the death by his own hand of Colin McKenzie, second son of R. A. McKenzie, postmaster of Logan post office, Beaver lake settlements. The young man was about 22 years of age. For some time he had been paying his address to a young lady, the daughter of a neighbor. There was friendship of long standing between the families. But apparently his suit had not been favorably considered. On the morning of Wednesday, July 13th, he visited the young lady of his choice, and returned home about ten o'clock. He asked his mother for pen and ink and paper, and wrote two letters, one to his father and the other to the young lady. After he had written the letters his little sister saw him take the rifle and leave the house. Evidently he went to the south end of the house, took off his coat and boots, folded the coat for a pillow, lay down with the rifle beside him, and having adjusted it, fired it by using one of his toes. The ball entered the body just below the heart. His father was working in the blacksmith shop about fifty yards from the house and did not hear the report, or if he heard it did not suppose anything was wrong. He was not missed until noon when Mrs. McKenzie called the family for dinner. Colin did not come with the rest. After dinner was over a younger brother went out to look for him and found him lying dead in the position already described, the body being still warm. The body was buried on Thursday afternoon in the Beaver lake, cemetery.

R. A. McKenzie, father of the deceased, is one of the pioneers of Beaver lake. He came originally from Manitoba and at first settled at Red Deer, where he started a saw mill, Afterwards moving to Beaver lake, where he is one of the best known and most respected residents. He certainly has the heartfelt sympathy of the community in the terrible affliction which has come upon him.

CALGARY.

Herald, July 31.

A number of ranchers are in town at present trying to pick up men for the haying season. There seems, however, to be some difficulty in securing good active laborers. It is to be hoped that Mr. Bulyea, when he puts his scheme into execution for bringing harvesters into the Territories, will not forget Alberta as was the case last year.

H. H. Morgan, who for some years acted as accountant for the Calgary branch of the Imperial bank, has been appointed manager of the branch which has been started at Wetaskiwin, and will proceed there shortly to assume his new duties. Mr. Morgan has made himself very popular in Calgary, and while we regret to learn that he is leaving the city we hasten to congratulate him upon his well deserved promotion.

Major Hamilton Merrit, who is in the city on legal business at present and who was second in command of the second C. M. R.'s seemed to be very popular among the men. All the troopers who have returned to Calgary from the war state that he was a splendid officer, always showing consideration for the men, and acquitting himself most gallantly.

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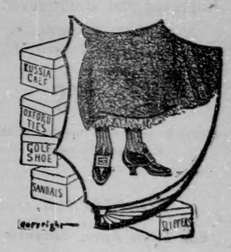
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COUNCIL MEETING.

The adjourned meeting of the council was held in the council chamber on Friday evening. Present the mayor, Councillors Gallagher, Goodridge, Grierson, Heiminck and Morris.

The mayor reported the result of the meeting with Mr. Wm. Whyte, who had promised that provided no arrangements were made for the operating of the spur line the C. P. R. Co., would still be willing to run their cars across the bridge and into town if the track were put into condition to pass inspection and ensure the safety of their rolling stock.

The minutes of the last two meetings were read and carried.

The following communications were read;

W. J. Webster,—For extension of time.—Carried.

Thos. Sharpe,—That cheques be issued on acceptance on cement.—Carried.

Cushing Bros., re tank.—Instructed to ascertain if hoops are sound and if so proved, they may proceed with repairs as suggested.

Secretary-Treasurer's report.—Adopted.

W. T. Ashbridge re inspector,—Applications produced and considered.

A motion was carried that N. B. Peck be engaged as inspector on trial at $60 per month, engagement to be terminated at the pleasure of the town and that Mr. McNaughton's services be held in reserve.

Councillor Heiminck's motion that G. E. Truman be engaged as inspector, was lost.

G. Minager's request regarding the foundation of his building was granted.

On the applications for assistant to secretary-treasurer, a ballot was taken resulting in one vote for Crosskill and 4 for Walt. R. B. Walt was appointed.

The application for purchase of engine was referred to Councillors Goodridge, Heiminck and Morris.

The petition for sidewalks and grading on 10th street, H. B. R. was referred to the board of works.

The petitions re improvements of street at crossing at or near the Baptist church, was referred to the board of works.

Councillor Heiminck's report re pound and the erection of a regular pound at the nuisance ground, was referred to the license and police committee.

By-law No. 227, tax rates for the present year, read three times.

A grant of $150 was made for drainage north of general hospital provided that drain is made sufficiently deep and that the H. B. Co will bear balance of the expense.

The mayor reported action suggested by board of trade re railway extension.

A motion was passed authorizing the mayor to co-operate with the board of trade in advocating railway extension beyond Edmonton.

A motion was passed that the roads petition be circulated by the secretary-treasurer for signatures.

The following accounts were passed for payment;

Gardner & Dalton,	$749.76
Pay sheet,	473.33
C. P. R. Telegraph,	15.16
Thos. Sharpe,	694.72
C. P. R. Co., freight,	239.40
Bulletin Co.,	17.95
Bevington & Spooner,	642.67
Pay sheet,	74.75
Pay sheet,	173.00
A. Driscoll,	30.00
J. R. Brenton,	80.00
Pay sheet,	197.50
A. W. Ormsby,	14.40
A. W. Ormsby,	3.00
Town electric lights,	90.25
Bulletin, stationery,	12.00

BIRTHS, DEATHS AND MARRIAGES

The following registrations have been made during the month of July;

19 births,
4 deaths.
3 marriages.

Innisfail Free Lance, July 31,—A sharp thunderstorm, accompanied by high wind and heavy rain, passed over Innisfail this afternoon. The storm was of short duration, and so far as known no damage was done.

BIRTHS.

Gilmer—At Edmonton on Friday, July 25th, the wife of Geo. Gilmer, of a daughter.

FURS.

An estimate of fur arriving and to arrive from the north is as follows; Colin Fraser, $20,000; Peter Loutit, $5,000; Jos. Hursell, $6,000; McLeod, $2,000; Chas. Smith, $2,000. To arrive; Hislop & Nagle, $70,000; W. Connor, $20,000.

Jos. Hursell, trader, arrived from Fort Smith on Saturday. He left Smith on July 2nd, with Shot's return transport, Shot had delivered freight at Fort Smith from the Landing by flat boat for Hislop & Nagle, W. Connor, Jos. Hursell and the Roman Catholic missions.

Fort Smith is at the portage on Great Slave river. From that point there is uninterrupted steamboat navigation to the Arctic ocean. The H. B. Co., Hislop & Nagle, W. Connor, and the Roman Catholic mission operate steamers there, Hislop & Nagle's steamer, the Eva, arrived from Resolution on Great Slave lake about June 1st, and W. Connor's steamer from Good Hope on the Mackenzie at the Arctic Circle in the latter end of June. The H .B. steamer, Wrigley, had also arrived from Fort Simpson. These steamers would return north with the supplies delivered by Shot at Fort Smith. On their next trip south they would bring up the winter's trade of fur which had not been gathered from the outposts when they left. The Roman Catholic mission steamer winters at Fort Smith.

All reports indicate a good trade. There are no reports of disease or starvation.

A case of theft committed at Fort Resolution by Louis Trombley in March last, was dealt with by Mr. Hursell as J .P. Trombley was arrested at Resolution by Constable Pedley, who went down from Chipewyan. He was brought up to Fort Smith, where he was committed for trial by Mr. Hurssell, and is being brought out for trial by Corporal Field.

J. M. Swiggert, trader, arrived at Smith at the same time as Shot. The Roman Catholic mission steamer, which plies between McMurray on the Athabasca, and Fort Smith, had arrived.

The traders at Fort Smith last winter were the H. B. Co., Colin Fraser, and Mr. Hursell. The weather was fine last winter and snow was not deep. The wood buffalo which range west of Smith are not being molested by the Indians, but are not increasing owing to the young being destroyed by wolves which follow the bands. There is a small half-breed settlement at Smith where potatoes are grown successfully every year. The people live by fishing, hunting, trapping and working on the portage for traders. There is some fine timber in the vicinity suitable for sawing into lumber. Salt river, where the salt for the use of the Mackenzie river district is taken from the surface of the ground, is a short distance north and west of Smith.

John Kelly, of Edmonton, was at Smith on his way down to take charge of Hislop & Nagle's boats as constructor and engineer, Messrs. Dewar and Elliott, formerly of Edmonton, came up with Mr. Connor to Fort Smith on his steamer.

Hislop & Nagle now own the steamer which was put on the Athabasca and Slave river between McMurray and Smith, by the Alaska exploration company. It will be fitted up ready for business next season.

The gas well bored some years ago at Pelican rapids on the Athabasca is still on fire.

When Mr. Hursell left the Landing Colin Fraser, Peter Loutit, Chas. Smith, of Chipewyan, were there with their furs. Also McLeod from Liard river, and Fred Brick's fur from Peace river, all awaiting transportation to Edmonton.

MACLEOD.

Advance, July 29.

The various grain crops are coming along splendidly and farmers predict an abundant harvest.

The C. & E. railway is being got in shape and it is now possible for trains from Calgary to land passengers at West MacLeod station. There were three trains down last week.

A grub or moth has appeared in a flax field belonging to Mr. Mudiman and is doing great damage. The insect attacks the stalk of the plant, cutting it off even with the surface of the ground. The plant is not devoured.

The tunnel at the Loop on the Crow's Nest line has been completed and trains are passing over the new road. The tunnel is not considered as safe as it might be, as men who were employed on the work claim that the entire mountain side is slowly but surely slipping down into the valley. If this be so, the position of affairs is indeed serious.

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